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October 1, 1974

The Honorable Thomas L. Judge
Governor of the State of Montana
Helena, Montana

Dear Governor Judge:

In accordance with the requirements of Section 82-4002, R.C.M., 1947, there is herewith transmitted to you the report of the Montana State Board of Optometrists covering the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974.

Respectfully submitted for
Board of Optometrists

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LEGAL REFERENCES:

The Legal Authority for the Board of Optometrists is Section 66-1301 through 66-1317 inclusive and 82A-1602, R.C.M. 1947. The Board of Optometrists were transferred to the Department of Professional and Occupational Licensing for administrative purposes only, as prescribed by Section 82A-108, R.C.M. 1947.

MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES:

The major responsibility of the Board of Optometrists is to protect the visual health and welfare of the citizens of Montana.

MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

The Board jointly sponsors continuing educational programs, required for relicensure.

PERFORMANCE FACTORS:

Board of Optometrists meet annually to conduct Board business and hold examinations.

Examinations	1
New Licenses issued	12
In active practice in Montana	91
Not in active practice in Montana	21
Inactive or Retired	4
Serving in Armed Forces	6
License renewals	122

PROGRAM COST SUMMARY:

	FY 73-74	FY 72-73
Licensing and Regulation	$ 5,302.00	$ 3,605.00
Personal Services	2,142.00	1,434.12
Operating Expense	3,160.00	2,170.88
Earmarked Revenue Fund	$ 5,302.00	$ 3,605.00

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PROGRAM ANALYSIS:

GOAL: License qualified applicants by examination or reciprocity.

OBJECTIVE: Protect the public by requiring strict compliance of the law governing the practice of Optometry in this State.

EVALUATION: Upholding professional standards for the protection of the visual welfare of the people of Montana.